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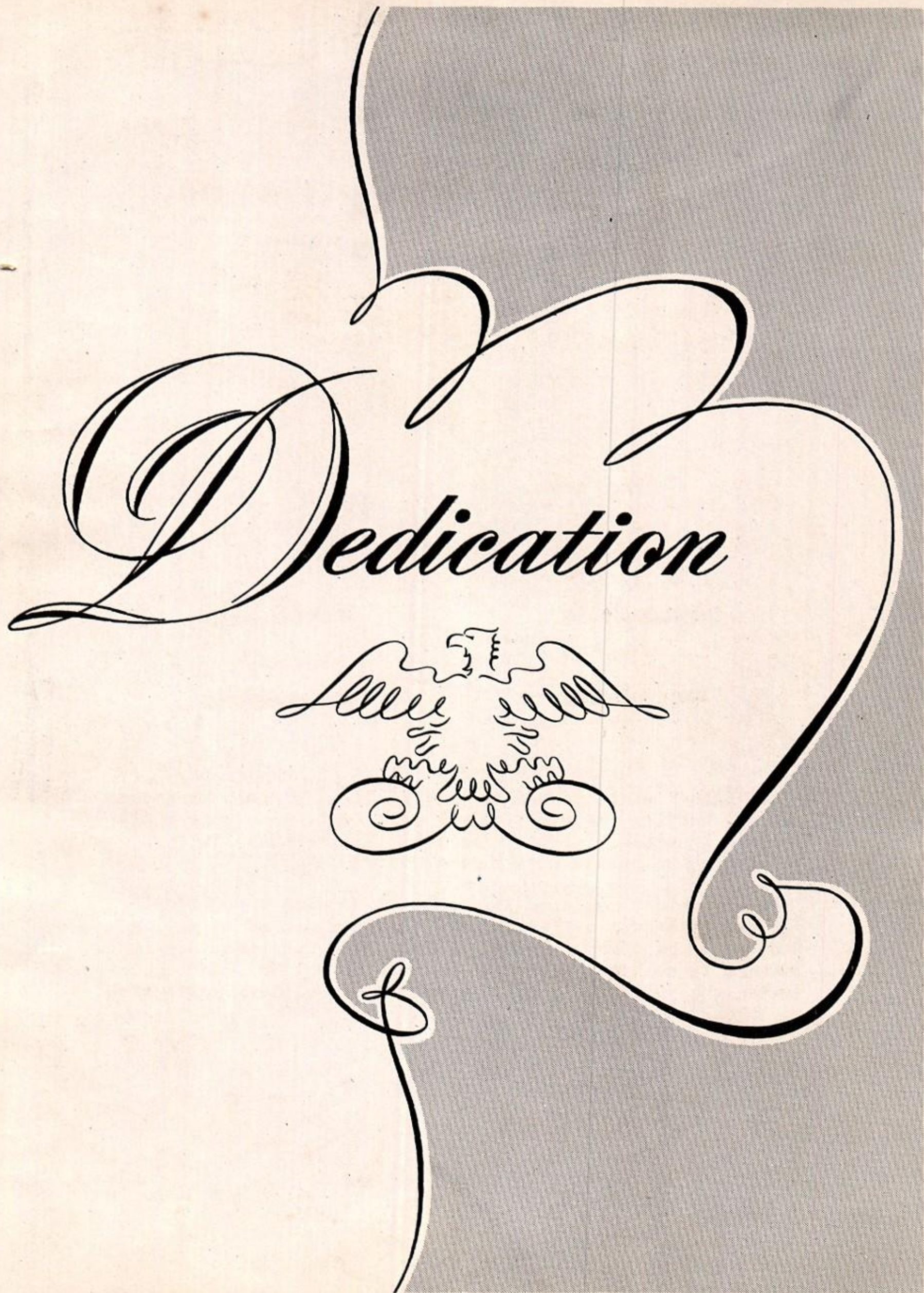


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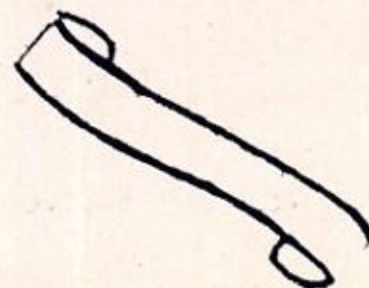
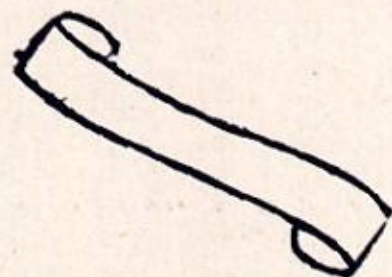
Dedication



To Our Principal--Mr. Herring

The "Flame" staff wishes to express their sincere gratitude to Mr. Herring for his tireless efforts to make this publication possible. Most of the pictures presented in this book are the result of his photographic skill.

His enthusiasm combined with his wit and humor provided us with the greater part of our action pictures as well as the group pictures. Without pictures, a publication of this nature is most certainly not a success, but Mr. Herring has taken the pictures to fit the varied occasions. We do wish to thank you Mr. Herring!





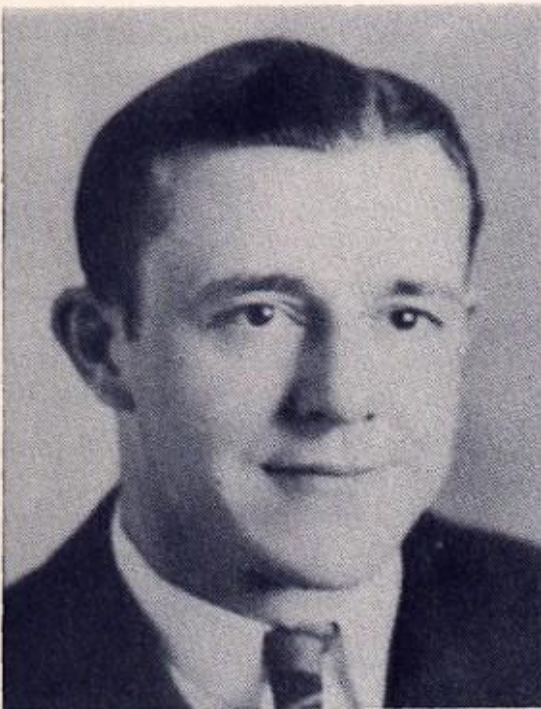
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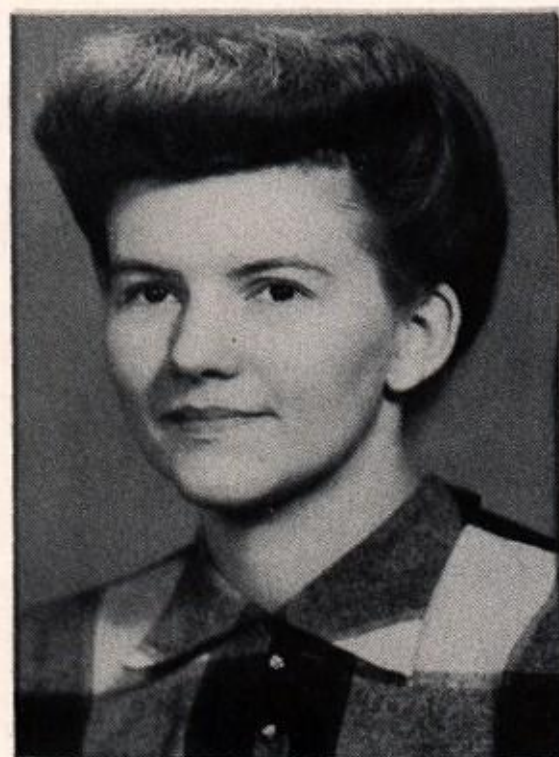
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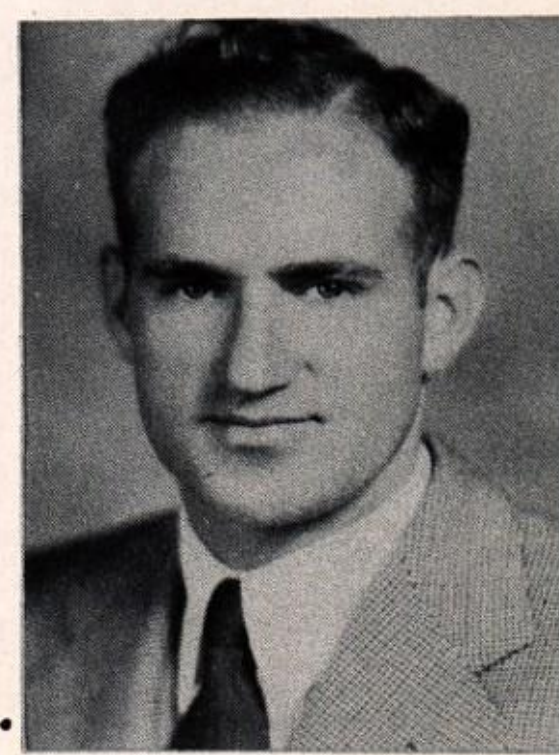
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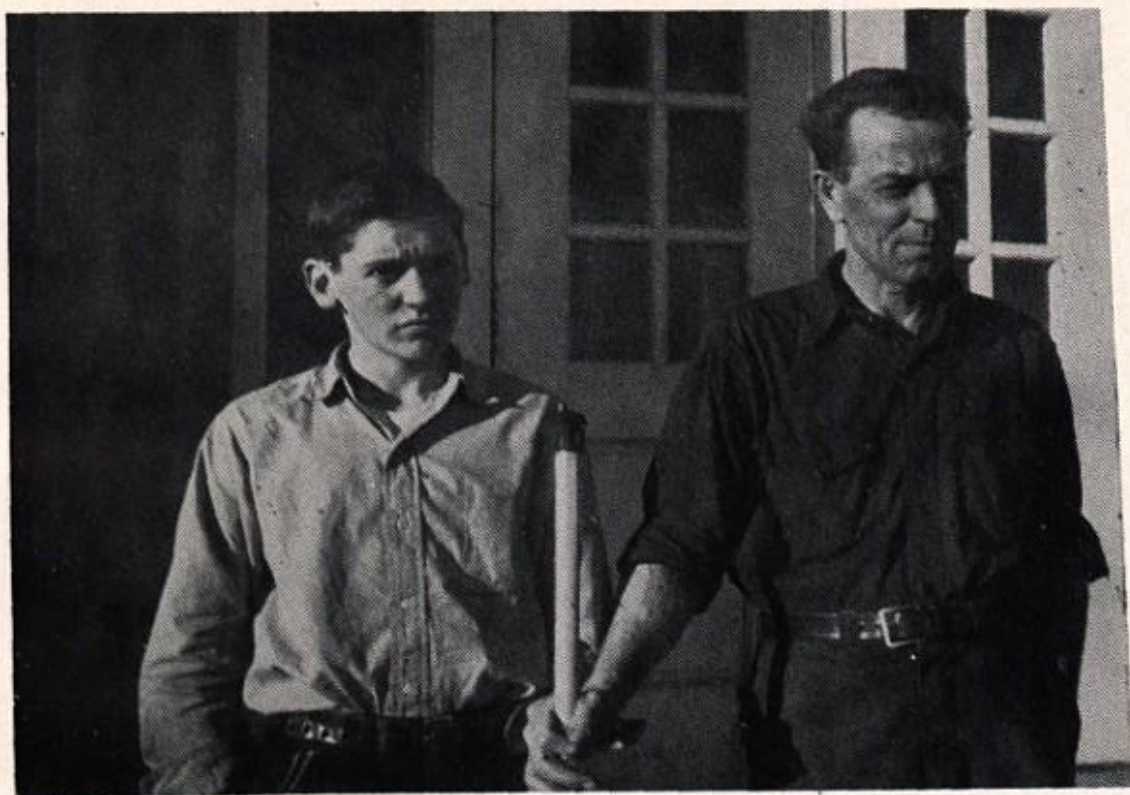
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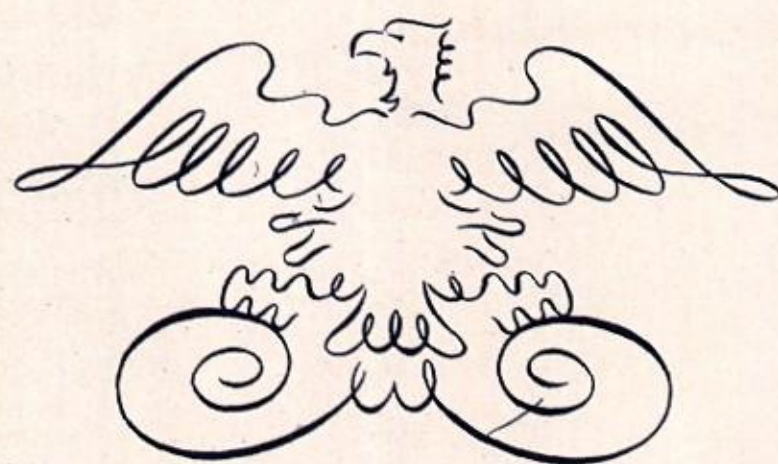
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Dick Flowers--bus driver



John Foster-Supt. Grounds, Bldg.
Maurice Silver--Assistant



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Seniors

Class Officers



CHUCK WHITE

Library, Football 4,
Basketball 4, Track 2,
Letterman's Club 3,
Letterman's C. Pres. 1,
Class Pres. 1, Mixed
Chorus 3, Boys Glee
Club 3, Student Council 3

Football 4, Track 2,
Basketball 2, Boys
Glee 3, Mixed Chorus
4, Letterman's Club
2, Student Council 2,
Quartet 1, Octet 1,
Orchestra 2, Annual 1,
Class Pres. 1, Vice
Pres. 1, Letterman's
Club Pres. 1

Football 3, Basket-
ball 2, Track 2, Band
3, Letterman's C. 2,
Spanish C., 2, Mixed
Chorus 3, Orchestra 3,
Boys Glee 2, Octet 1,
Quartet 1, Class Play,
Trumpeter Staff, Class
Pres., Class Sec. 1,
Class Treas. 1, Annual,
Library



KENNY WALDEN



CAROLYN WARD

F.H.A. 4, F.H.A. Pres. 2, Treas. 1,
Girls Glee Club 4, Mixed Chorus 2,
Pep Club 1, G.A.A. 1, Student Council 2



MILO FARNHAM



JIM BALLANTYNE
Football 2, F.F.A. 4,
Letterman's Club 1,
Student Council 1



JACQUELINE BRADLEY
F.H.A. 3, Girls Glee Club 4,
Mixed Chorus 3, G.A.A. 1,
Sextet 1, Trio 1, Library 1,
Small group chorus 1 sem.
Glee C. pianist 1 sem.



ELAINE BOSWELL
Mixed Chorus 4, Girls Glee
Club 4, Office 1, Sextette
2, Small group chorus 1 sem.



PATSY COLE
F.H.A. 3



BILL BOSWELL
F.F.A. 4, Glee Club 1,
F.F.A. Basketball 2



NATHANIEL CRACRAFT
Boys Glee 1, Class Play
Mixed Chorus 1
Library Staff



BILL DAHLEM
Track 1



LAVONA GARDNER
F.H.A. 3



KEITH ELLIOTT
F.F.A. 4, F.F.A. Basket-
ball 1, Football 1, Class
Play, Office 1



LEWIS GILLILAND
Football 3, Basketball 3,
Track 2, Letterman's C. 2,
Boys Glee Club 2



DOROTHY FLOWERS
Glee Club 4, Pep Club 3,
Cheer Leader 3, Mixed Chorus
2, Sextet 1, G.A.A. 3, Annual
staff 1, Trumpeter staff 2,
Gossip Editor 1, Class Play 1



ROBERTA GREEN
Girls Glee C. 2, G.A.A. 2,
F.H.A. 2



MAVA HEIDE
F.H.A. 3, Girls Glee
Club 3, G.A.A. 1



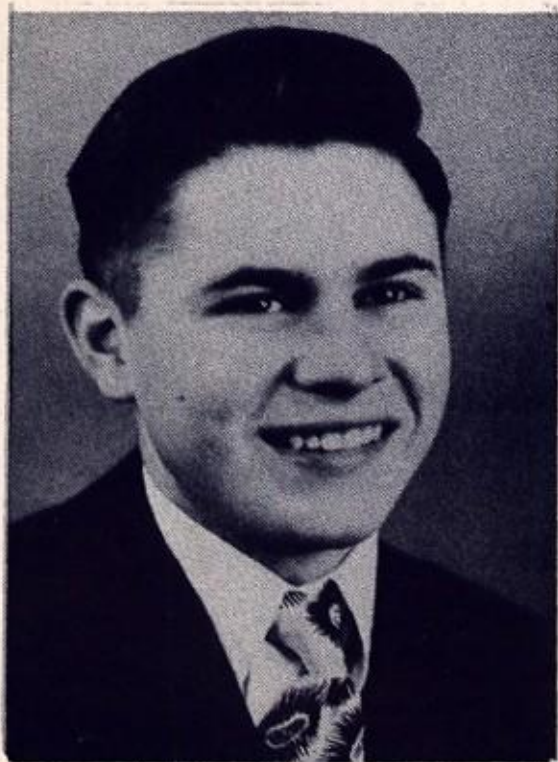
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Club 3, G.A.A. 1



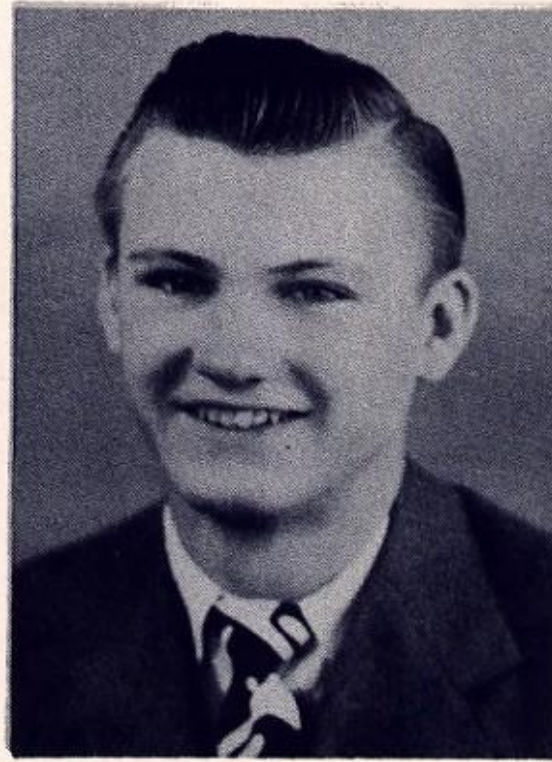
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Football 2



JANET JANS
Pep Club 1, Glee Club 3,
Mixed Chorus 2



KEITH HIGGINS
F.F.A. 2



WARD KAESTNER
Basketball 2, Football 3,
Letterman's Club 2, Track



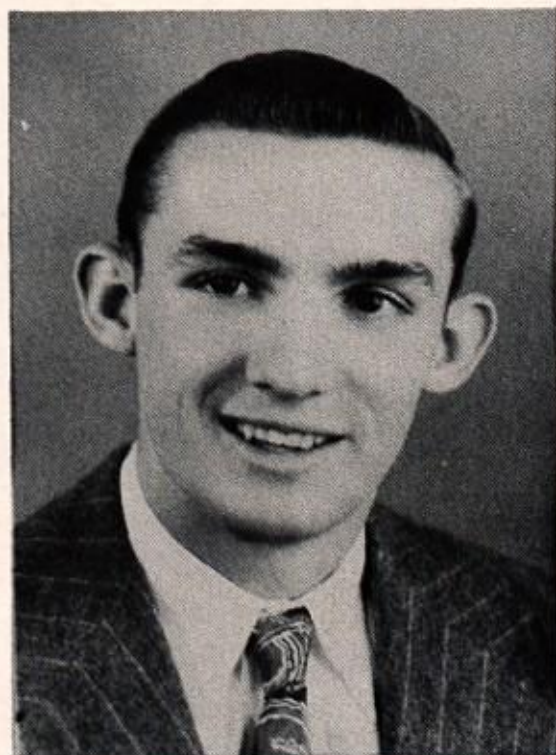
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Football 4, Basketball
3, Letterman's Club 3,
Sec. of Letterman's C.
1, Class Sec. 1, Track
1, Student Council 1



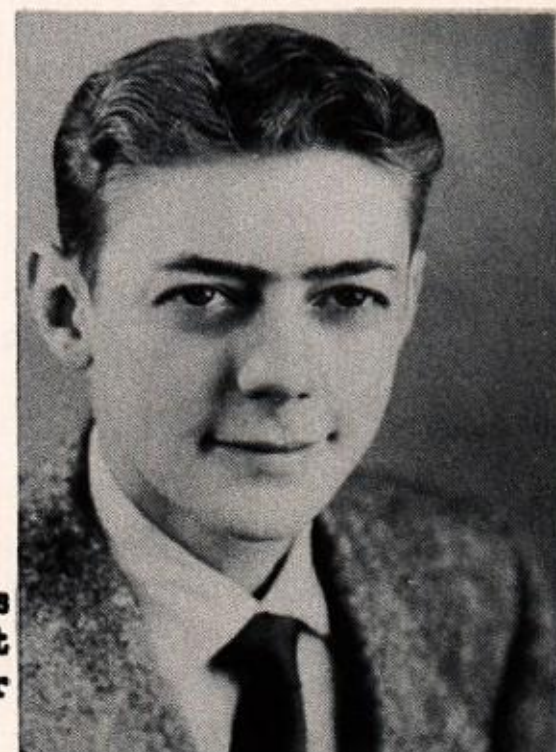
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F.H.A. 3, G.A.A. 2, Vice
Pres. Spanish Club 1,
Spanish Club 2, Library 1



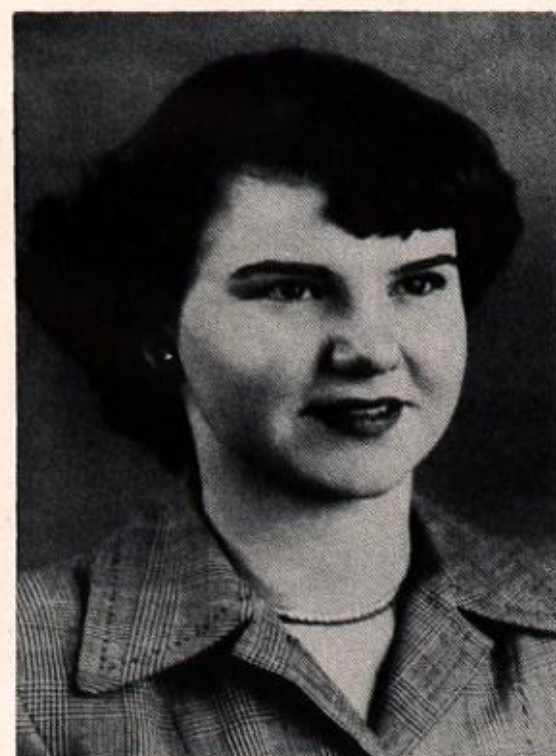
BOB MEEK

Football 4, Basketball
4, Track 2, Boys Glee 3,
Letterman's C. 3, Mixed
Chorus 4, Octet 1, Trum-
peter Sports Ed. 1,
Student Council 1



LYLE SILVER

Annual Staff 1, Boys
Glee Club 2, Student
Council 1, Trumpeter
Staff, Art Editor 1



PHYLLIS MORGAN

Pep Club 3, Pep Club
Pres. 1, Girls Glee 4,
G.A.A. 3, Trumpeter 2,
Annual Staff 1, Co-ed.
of annual 1, Student
Council 1, Mixed Chorus 1
Class Play

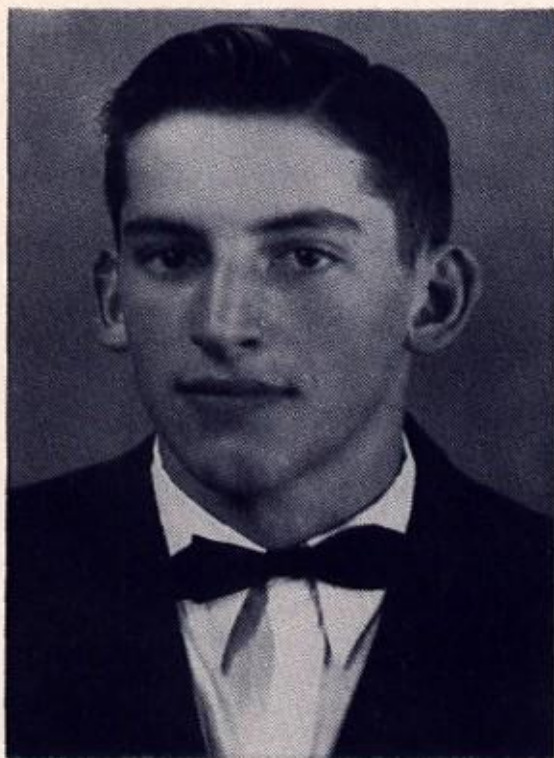
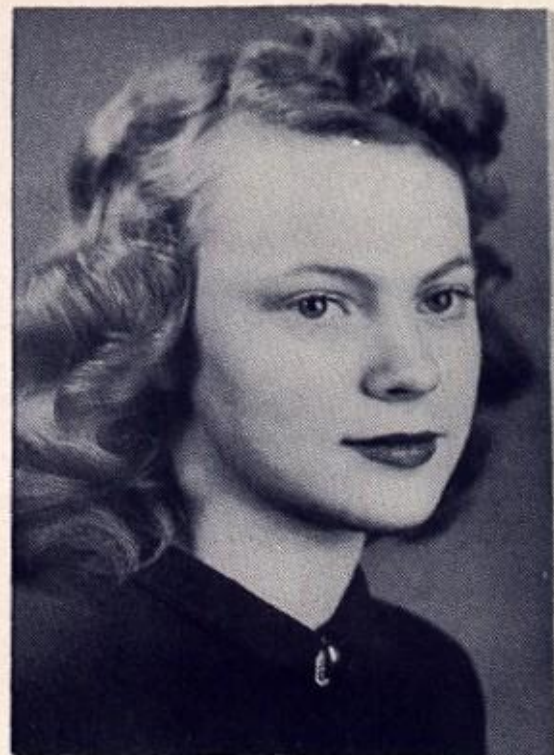


MAURICE SILVER
Track 1



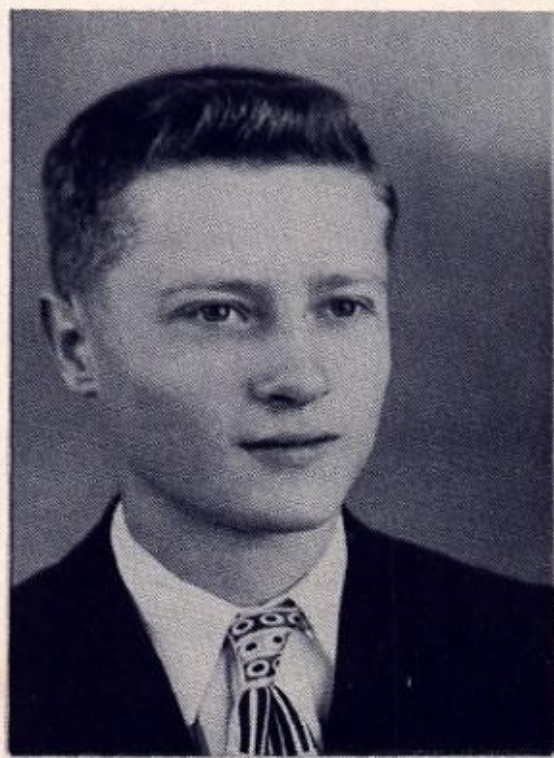
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F.H.A. 3, Sec. of Class
1, Annual Staff 1, Trum-
peter 1, Student C. 2



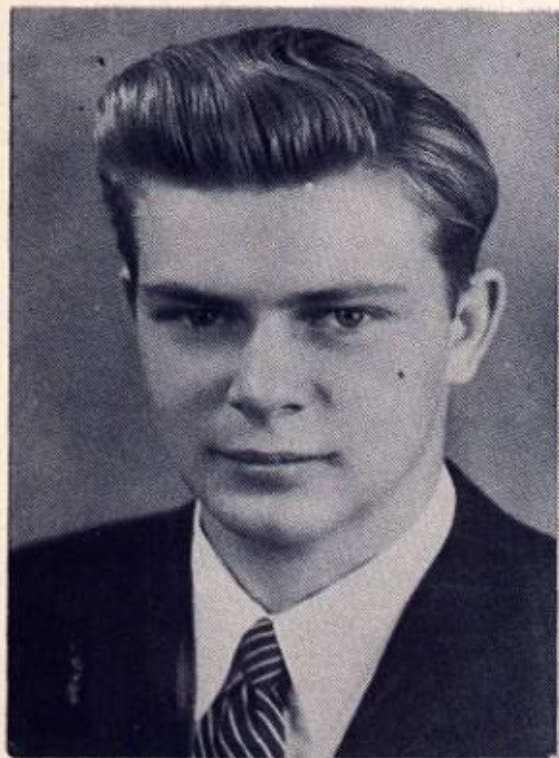
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Class Play, Football 1,
F.F.A. 4, F.F.A. Off. 2,
F.F.A. Basketball 4,
Library 2



JAMES TABOR

Football 3, Basketball
3, Band 4, Student Council
2, Orchestra 1, Track 2,
F.F.A. 3, Boys Glee 1,
Mixed Chorus 1, Letterman's
Club 2



FRANCIS SWIFT

Football 3, Boys Glee 2,
Letterman's C. 2, Track 1



ALBERTA THOMAS

Band 4, Girls Glee 3, F.H.A.
3, Mixed Chorus 3, Full or-
chestra 1, Rec. Chairman 1



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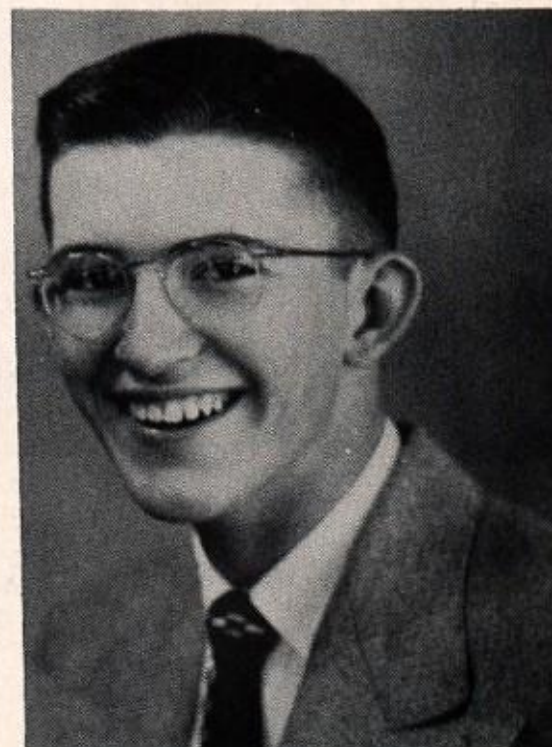
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Pep Club 2, Girls Glee
Club 4, Mixed Chorus 2,
Band 2, Class Pres. 1,
Pep Club Sec. 1, G.A.A. 1,
Cheerleader 1, Homecoming
queen 1



SARAH WILLIAMS

G.A.A. 1, Band 3, Li-
brary 3, Girls Glee C. 1,
Trumpeter 2, F.H.A. 4,
Pep Club 1



ROGER YARRINGTON

Football 2, Basketball
4, Track 2, Student Man-
ager 1, Letterman's C. 3,
Mixed Chorus 3, Boys Glee
3, Band 3, Trumpeter Ed. 1,
Annual Co-Ed. 1, Student C



Senior Who's Who

1. J. Tabor 2. P. Morgan 3. L. Gilliland 4. C. White 5. K. Higgins
 6. R. Yarrington 7. S. Williams 8. C. Hightshoe 9. A. Thomas 10. J.
 Lysinger 11. L. Silver 12. R. Meek 13. M. Farnham 14. P. Wilcoxson
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Junior's

Sophomores

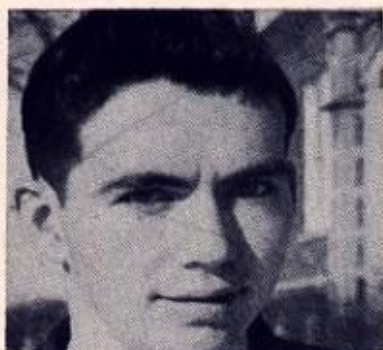
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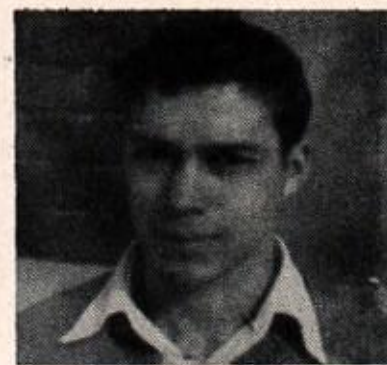
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Sophomores
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First row: Sullivan, Manchester, Silsby, Wilson, Shakespeare, Lovett, Hill, Ballantyne, Dalhem, Morey. Second row: B. Thomas, Driskill, McClain, Blakesley, Platz, B. Cole, Herring, Sponsor, L. Cook, Lysinger, Stanley, Graves. Third row: Rew, Noe, K. Roberts, D. Isenberger, McQueen, T. Paris, Campbell, Snively.



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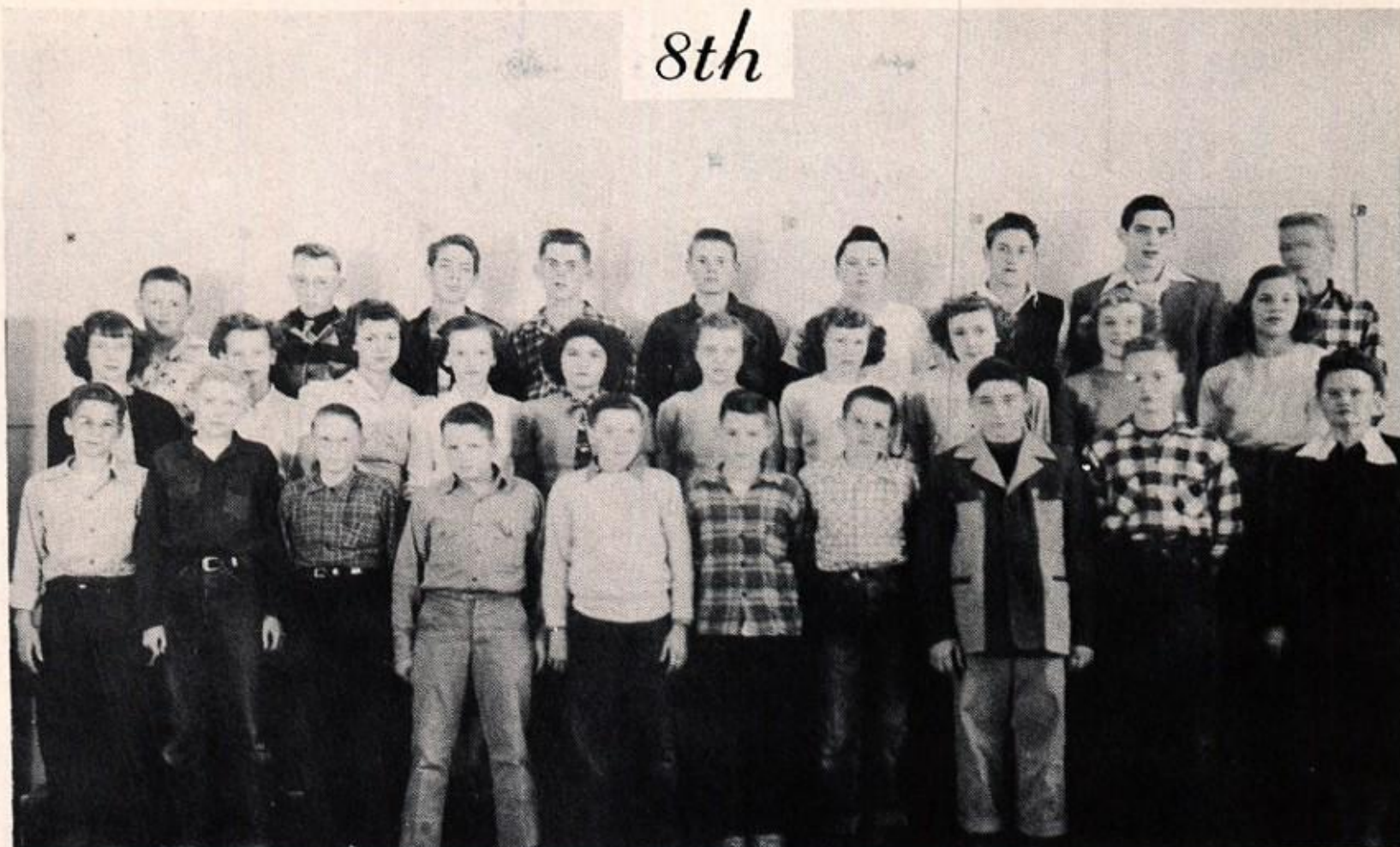


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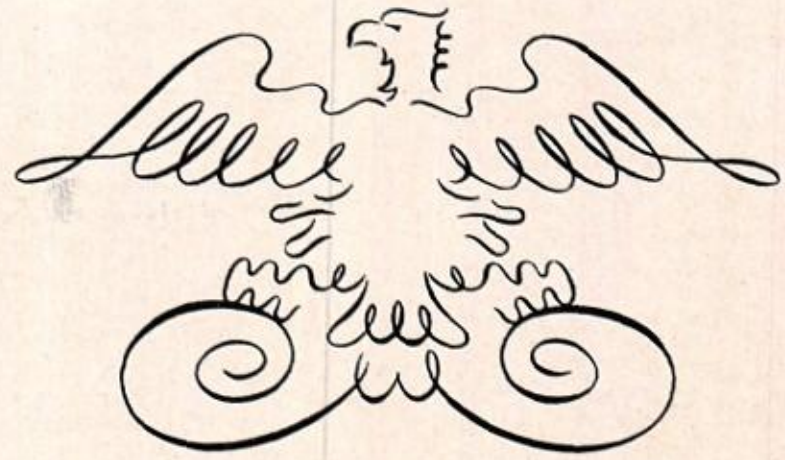
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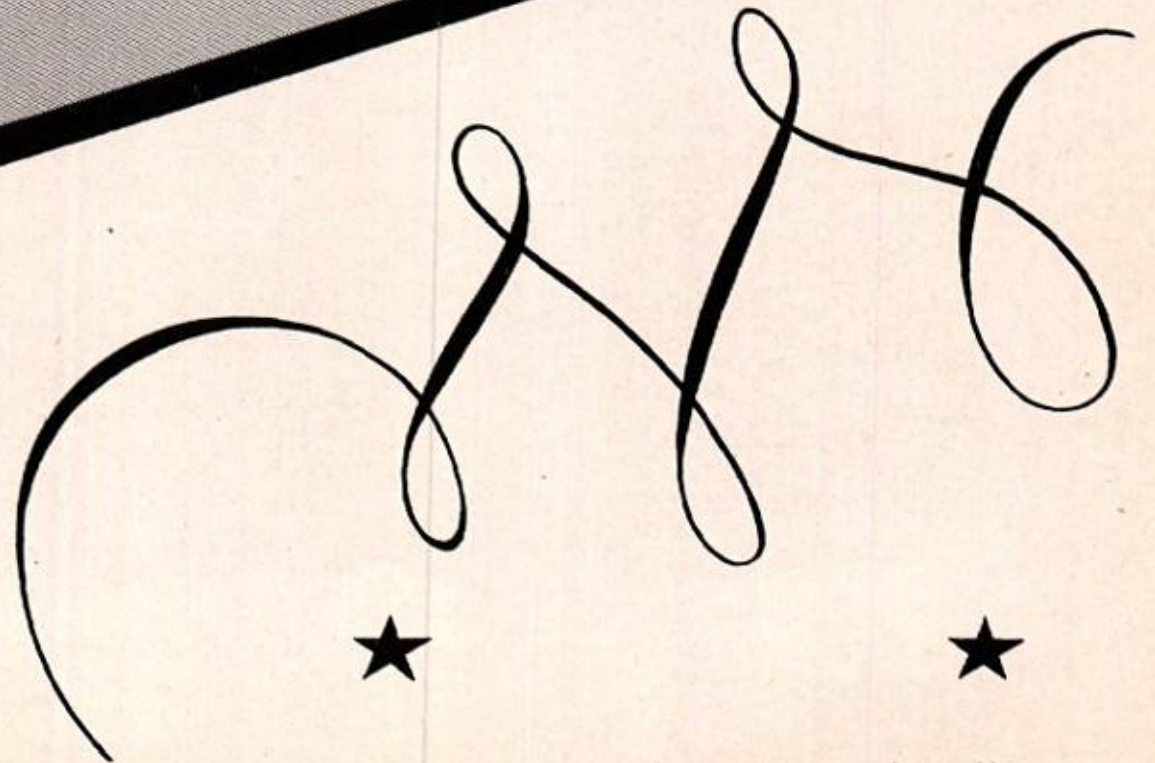
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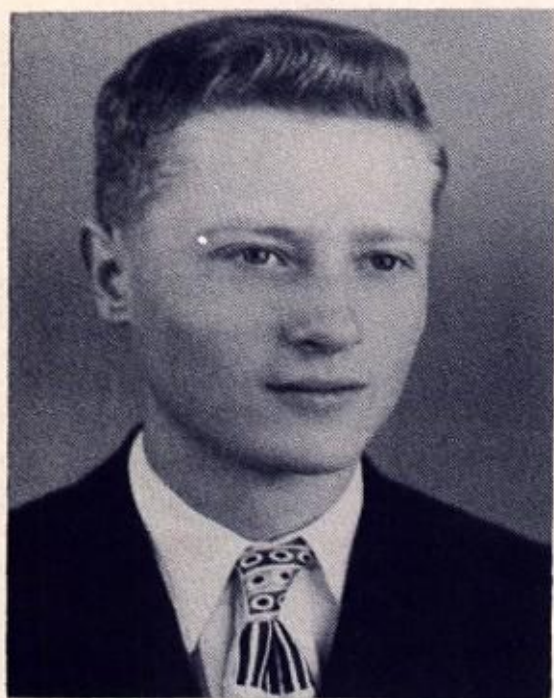
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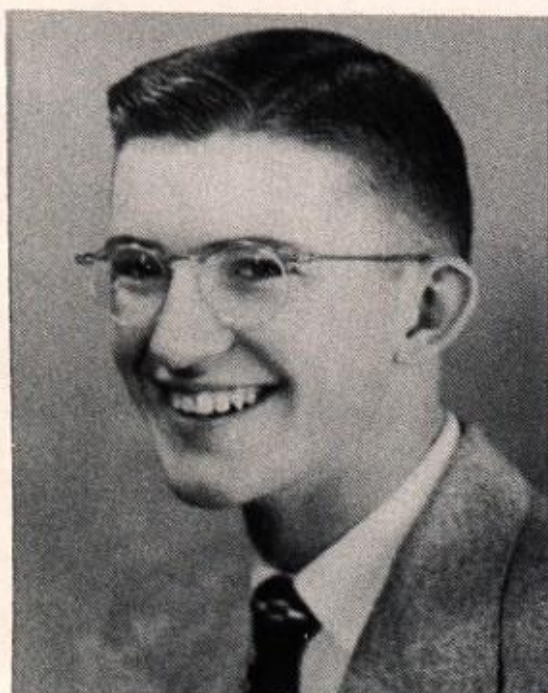


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Secretary



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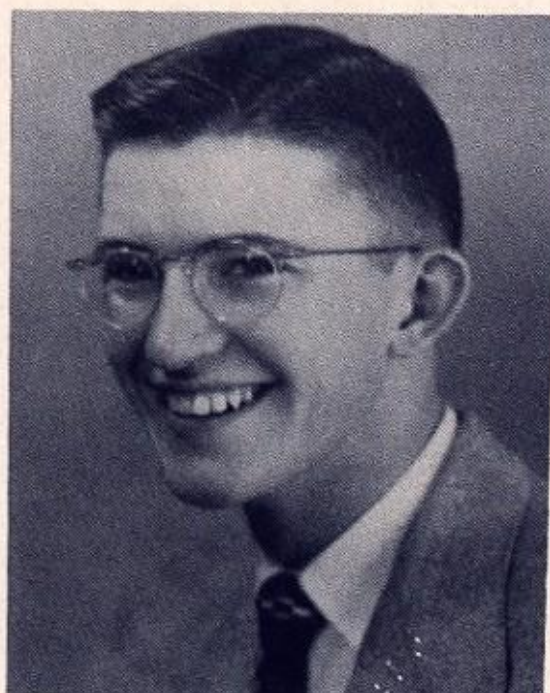


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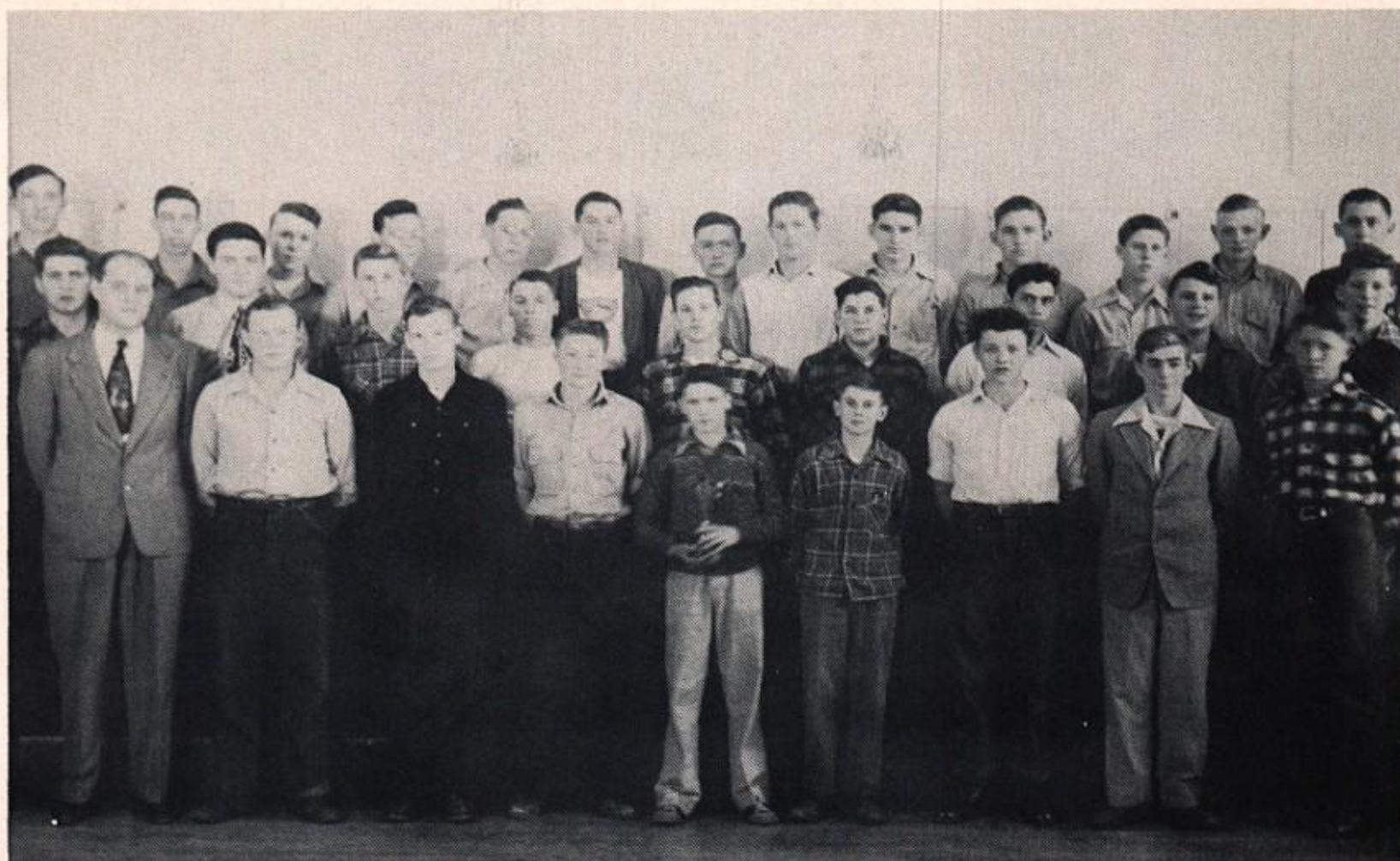
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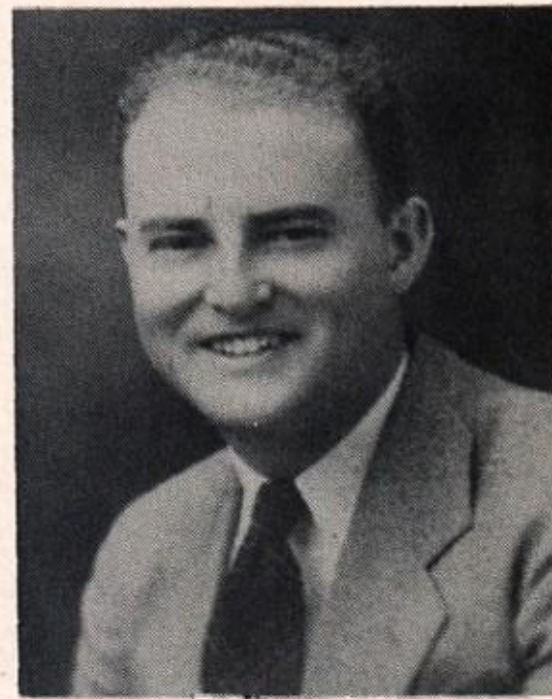
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President



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Mr. Bellman
Sponsor



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F.H.A.



CAROLYN WARD
President



MISS STILLEY
Sponsor



Snethen, Hightshoe, Cover,
Bowen, Thomas, Prather,
Hynden, Ward, other officers.



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Dick Cheville, Carolyn Ward, Miss Yeater, sponsor,
Rogene Roberts, Milo Farnham.



Library

First Row: Dick Baber, Chuck White, Don Houck, Milo Farnham,
Mrs. Oliver-sponsor. Second Row: Lois Heide, Catherine
Weyerman, Benny Teal, Keith Elliot, Twyla Reed, Doris Prather,
Marlene Omstead, Rogene Roberts, Norma Snethen, Patsy Cole.



Junior Play

"AUNT CATHIE'S CAT"

Junior Class Play

Characters

Bill Pryor-----	Glen Hughes
Jane Trimble-----	Phyllis Shank
Cathie Trimble-----	Janice Hyde
Peggy Trimble-----	Marlene Omstead
Dottie Trimble-----	Pearl Ann Ricker
Marcia Garcia-----	Reva Doolittle
Jose Garcia-----	Lewis Carpenter
The Gas Man-----	Howard Paris
An Officer-----	Don Houck
David Brent-----	Dick Cheville
Elizabeth Pryor-----	Gwen Oleny
Tilly Pitts-----	Shirley Cole
A Sales-woman-----	Twyla Reed
Dead Man-----	Joe French

Make-up Artist & Director-----	Mrs. Gertrude Oliver
Stage Crew-----	Dick Baber
	Joe French



Senior Play

"RIME AND RIME AGAIN"

Senior Class Play

Characters

Mrs. Henry Thomas-----	Phyllis Morgan
Mrs. J. Quincey Duval-----	Sarah Williams
Gus Smith-----	Nathaniel Cracraft
Mr. Henry Thomas-----	Keith Elliot
Jane Thomas-----	Phyllis Wilcoxson
Betty Thomas-----	Carolyn Ward
Johnny Johnson-----	Charles Snethen
Freddie Thomas-----	James Tabor
Georgia Arnold-----	Rogene Roberts
Bertie-----	Dorothy Flowers
The Ladies of the Club-----	Elaine Boswell
	Janet Jans
	Carla Hightshoe
	Mava Heide
	Jacqueline Bradley

Make-up Artist & Director-----Mrs. Gertrude Oliver



Left to right: Sarah Williams, Marjorie Ward, Wanda Hembry, Janice Lysinger, Bill Wilcoxson, Roger Marshall, Janet Stoll, Lorene Cook, Janet Jans, Gwen Olney, Phyllis Shank, Carolyn Ward, Peggy Bowen, Pearl Ricker, Marlene Omstead, Don Gamet, Ned Lysinger, Phyllis Hill, Mavis Bergman, Janice Hyde, Phyllis Morgan, Orpha Holman, Darlene Cook, Alice Stevens, Virginia Higgins, Dick Cheville, Dorothy Flowers, Phyllis Wilcoxson, Gloria Manchester, Arlene McQueen.

Pep Club



PHYLLIS MORGAN
President



MISS HOLMAN
Sponsor

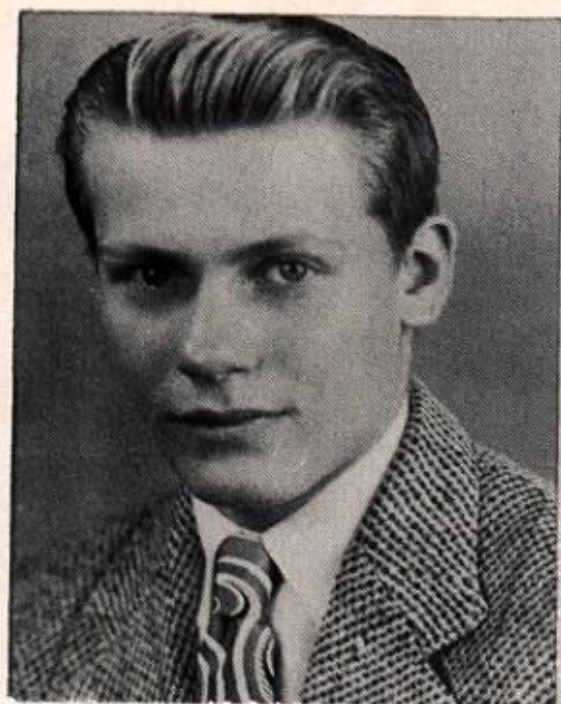


Stevens-Vice-president
Wilcoxson-Secretary

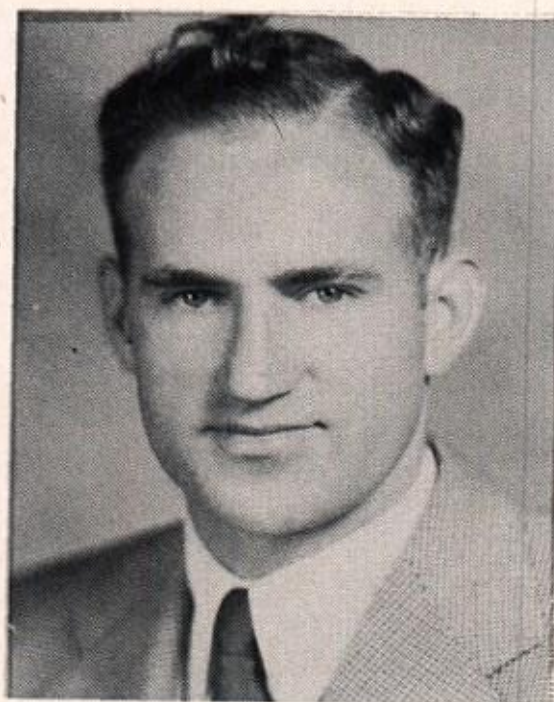


Left back row: Milo Farnham, Dick Cheville, Roger Yarrington, Lewis Carpenter, John Lysinger, Lewis Gilliland, Kenneth Walden, Bill Robinson
 Left front row: Ward Kaestner, Bill Walden, Howard Paris, Jim Tabor, Don Houck, Bob Meek, Chuck White

Lettermen's Club



KENNETH WALDEN
 President



WILLIAM ROBINSON
 Sponser



JAMES TABOR
 Vice President



Band

Hodges, Derry, Herring, Hynden, Thomas, Hyde, Wilcoxson, Closson, Williams, N. Thomas, Campbell, Hembre, Noe, M. Ward, Prather, Roberts, J. Hodges, Gamet, Hughes, Cheville, Tabor, Banker, Prall, Twito, France, Paris, Monroe, Kaestner, Reynard, Clark, Anthony.

Instrumental Music



Orchestra

Hodges, Thomas, Hynden, Herring, Gamet, Banker, Tabor, Reynard, Watts, J. Walden, K. Walden, Lingard, Platz, Silsby, Heide, Cheville, Garder, Warner, Shakespears, Goode, Schofield, Farnham, Clark, Omstead, R. Farnham.

Girls Glee Club

Mixed Chorus



First Row: Arlene McQueen, Phyllis Morgan, Janis Lysinger, Carolyn Ward, Peggy Bowen, Mavis Bergman, Nancy Hynden, Darlene Cook, Phyllis Wilcoxson, Alice Stevens, Carolyn Ballentyn, Georgeen Dahlem, Elaine Boswell, Carla Hightshoe, Mrs. Weddle
Second Row: Junia Clair Silsby, Jean Noe, Carolyn Stanley, Tessie Snethen, Marjorie Ward, Judy Stone, Alberta Thomas, Rose Marie Shakespear, Carole Wilson, Phyllis Hill, Elizabeth Gilliland, Luella Shith, La Vern Lindgard, Gwen Olney, Third Row: Reva Doolittle, Shirley Cole, Janet Jans, Donna Sullivan, Amy Grace Platz, Patsy Herring, Betty Jane Cole, Lorene Cook, Dorothy Flowers, Pearl Ricker, Virginia Higgins, Doris Prather, Eda Mae Garder, Janice Hyde, Phyllis Shank.



First Row: Stone, Gilliland, Silsby, Flowers, Stevens, Stanley, Thomas, Stoll, Bowen, Smith, Dalhem, Ballantyne, Wilson, McQueen. Second Row: Hughes, Hightshoe, Cook, Doolittle, Platz, Hynden, Sullivan, Jans, Lingard, Noe, Cole, Lysinger, Cook, Bergman. Third Row: Cheville, Garder, Herring, White, Marshall, McManus, Roberts, Whenham, Baber, France, Thomas, Prather, Higgins, Ricker.



Sextette

Mavis Bergman, Dorothy Flowers, Janice Hyde, Shirley Cole, LaVerne Lingard, Elaine Boswell.



Octet

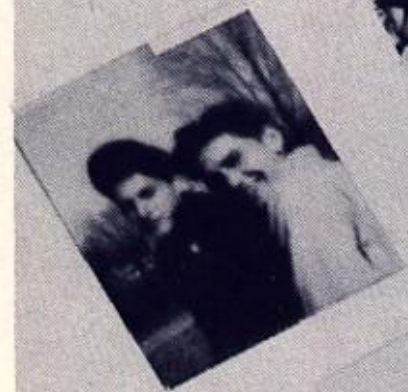
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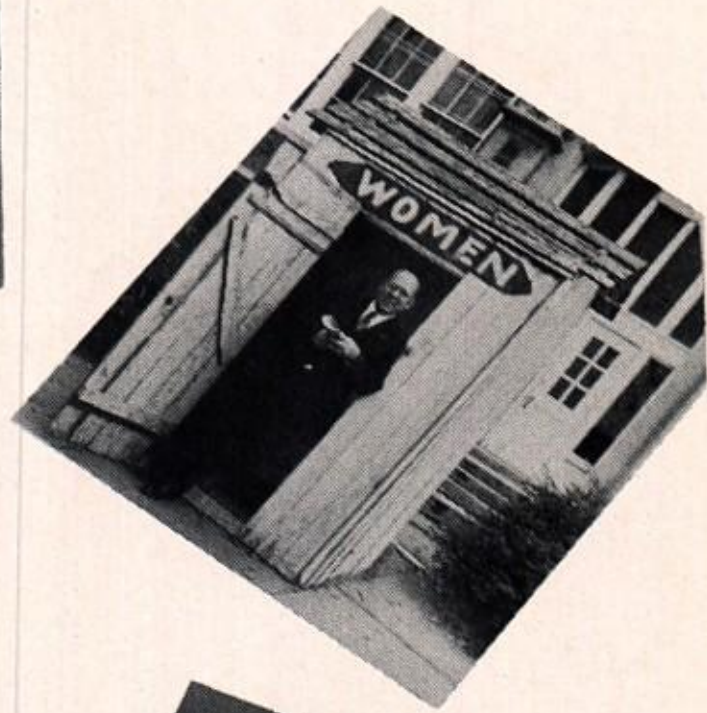


Freshmen Sextette

Georgeen Dahlem, Amy Grace Platz, Patsy Herring, Betty Jane Cole, Carol Wilson, Junia Clare Silsby







Miscellaneous



My dear
Ladies

Sports

Yours

Football



Front: Dick Cheville, Donald Gamet. First row: Roger Yarrington, Lewis Carpenter, Joe French, John Lysinger, Lewis Gilliland, Charles Snethen, Howard Paris, Francis Swift, Bill Weable, Jim Ballantyne. Second row: DeNio Banker, Troy Paris, Charles White, Walter McQueen, Ward Kaestner, Bob Meek, James Tabor, Kenneth Walden, Don Houck, Chester White. Third row: Bill Walden, Milo Farnham, Bill Stoll, Lloyd Banker, Dwight Isenberger, Richard Baber, Tom France, John Ross, Billy Thomas.



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Lamoni	18
Lamoni	12
Lamoni	25
Lamoni	7
Lamoni	19
Lamoni	7

Humeston	0
Leon	20
Mt. Ayr	13
Bedford	0
Corydon	27
Garden Grove	14
Lenox	6
Osceola	7
Seymour	26

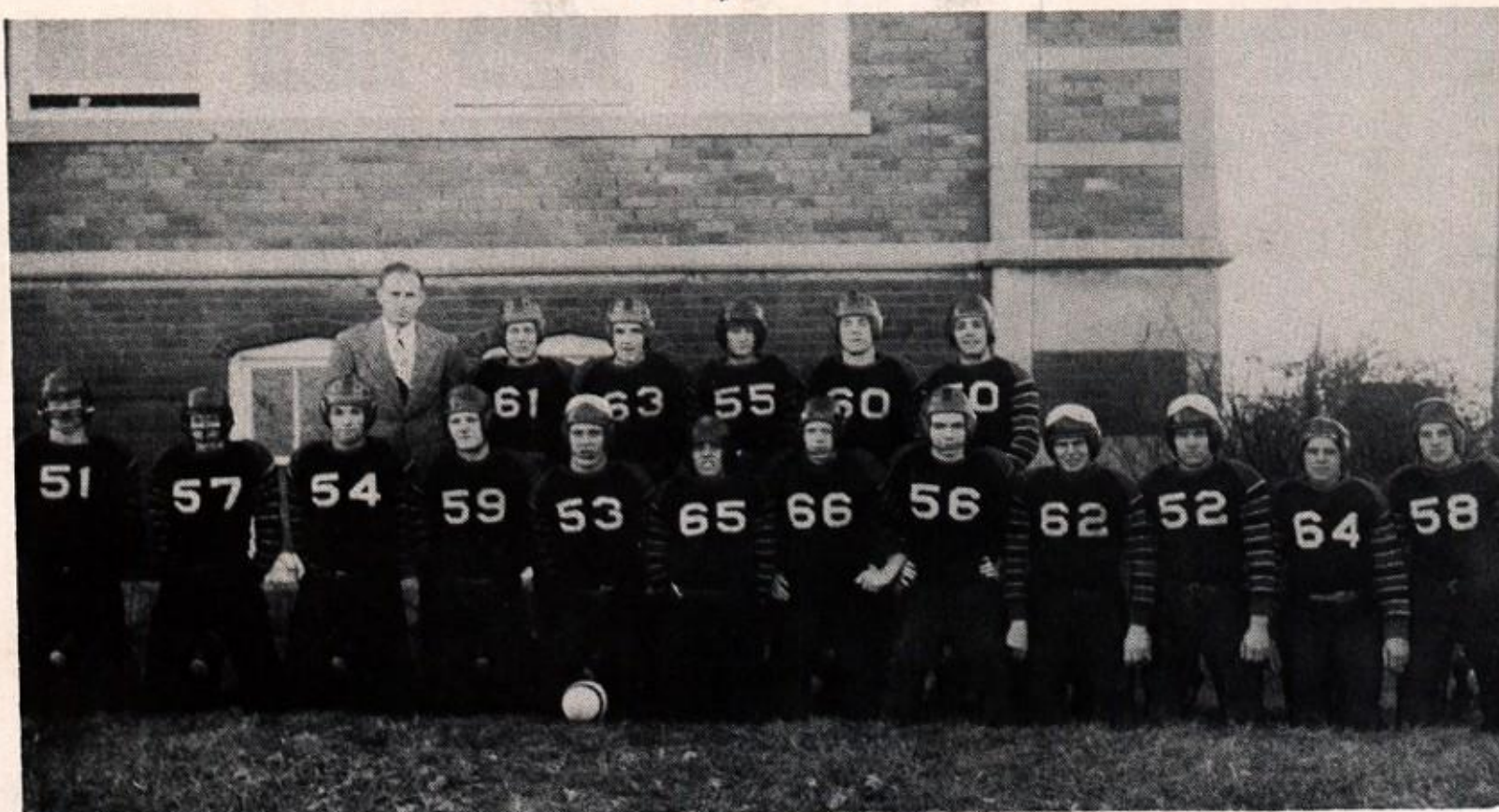


Bob Meek, quarterback, and Lewis Carpenter, end, were both chosen for the first team of the Blue Grass Conference Team. Howard Paris, center, and Chuck White, fullback were chosen on the second team.

The '48 football season was significant in that it was the first in several years that the Demons won more games than they lost. Also Lamoni bounced off of the bottom of the Conference standing to tie with Osceola for third place.

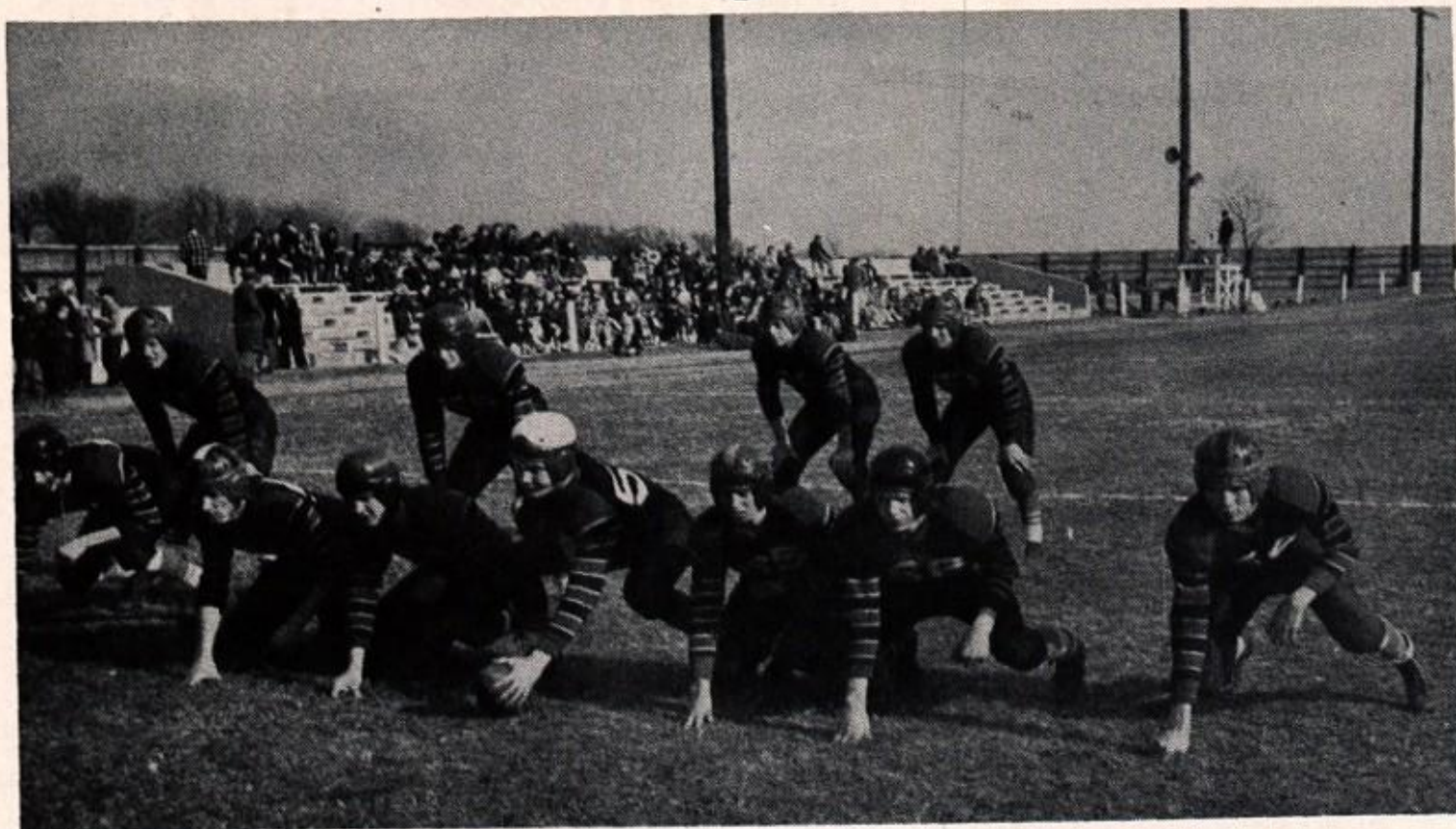
Kenny Walden was elected honorary captain of the team.

Regulars



First row: Roger Yarrington, Lewis Gilliland, John Lysinger, Ward Kaestner, Howard Paris, Jim Ballantyne, Joe French, Lewis Carpenter, Francis Swift, Bill Weable, Chester White, Charles Snethen. Second row: Coach Robinson, Kenneth Walden, Bob Meek, James Tabor, Charles White, Don Housk.

Varsity



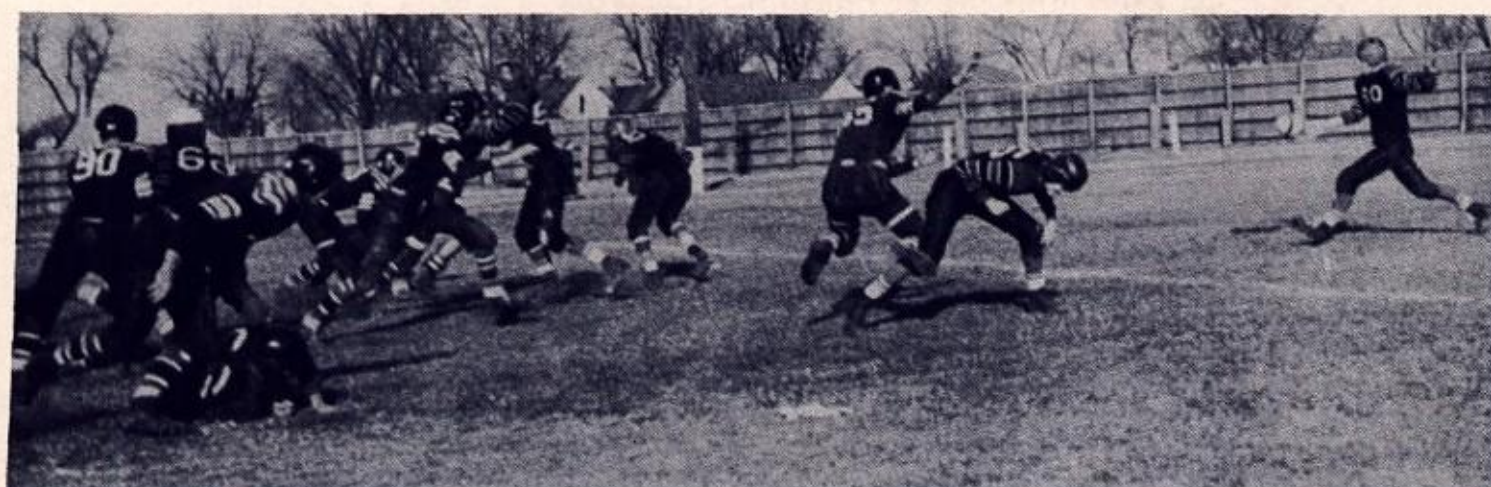
Line: Gilliland-end, Lysinger-tackle, Kaestner-guard, Paris-center, Ballentyne-guard, French-tackle, Carpenter-end.
Backs: Walden, Tabor, White, Meek.



ON THE WAY
TO
THE BIG
GAME



IN THE
MOOD TO
WIN****
COME
ON



AT
SEYMOUR



At the half

On the
goal line



Majorettes

McQueen, Cook, Stoll, Schofield



Good picture of the ref anyway



BOO

Homecoming

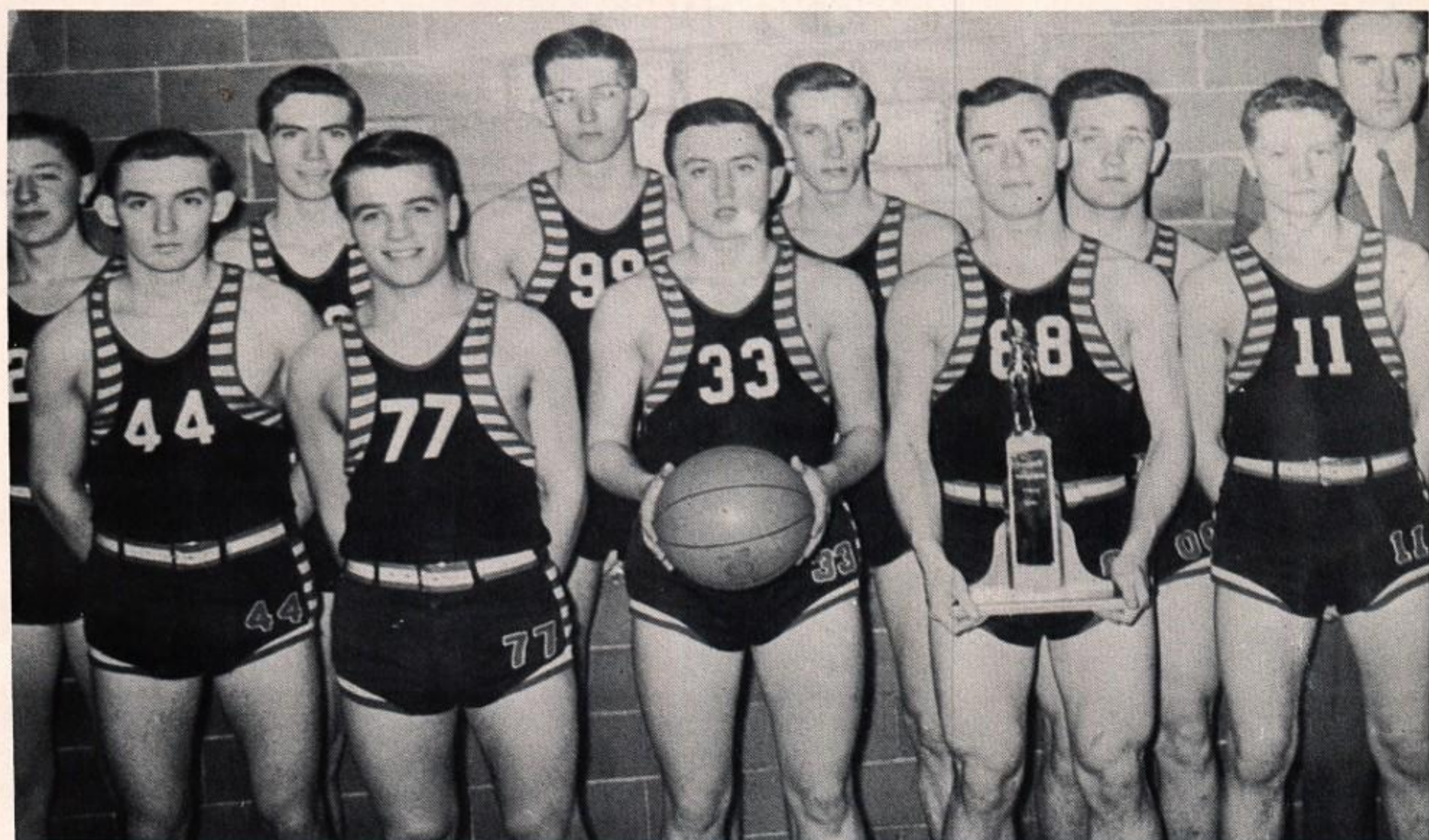


Queen

Phyllis Wilcoxson



Reva Doolittle Gloria Manchester Phyllis Wilcoxson Alice Stevens Lavern Lingard



First row: Bob Meek, Don Houck, DeNio Banker, Chuck White, Jim Tabor. Second row: Roger Marshall, Lewis Carpenter, Roger Yarrington, Lewis Gilliland, Howard Paris, Coach Robinson.

Basketball

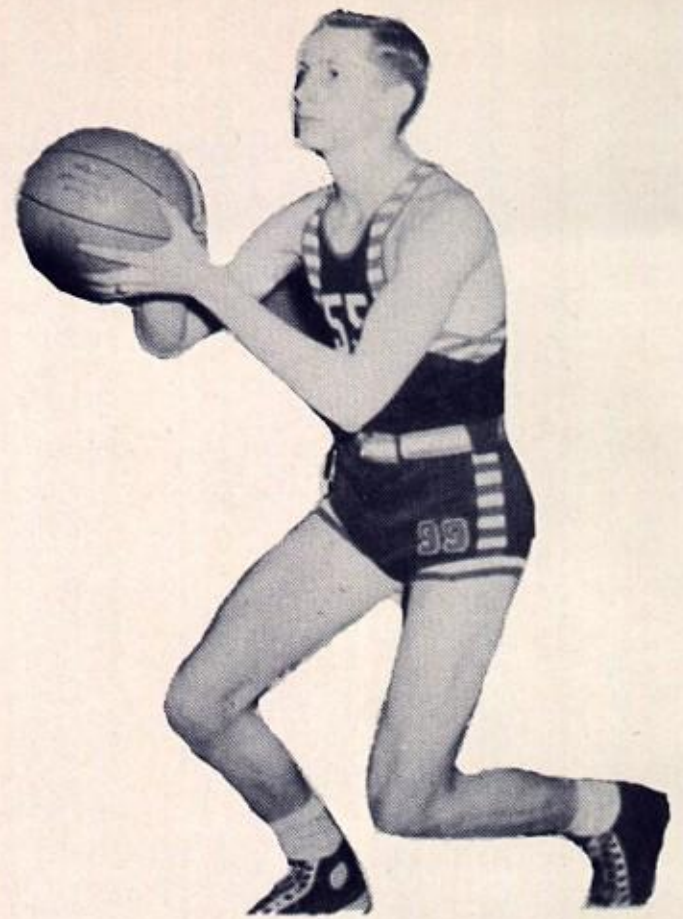
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Lamoni	21	Seymour	41
Lamoni	35	Mt. Ayr	50
Lamoni	24	Diagonal	56
Lamoni	26	Corydon	43
Lamoni	31	Leon	30

For the second straight year the Demons captured the Decatur County Class "A" trophy, trouncing Van Wert, Garden Grove, and Grand River in the finals. Lamoni met the powerful Mt. Ayr team in the Sectional Tournament and missed the trophy by a 35-33 score. Roger Yarrington was elected honorary captain of this years team.

LETTERMEN



LEWIS CARPENTER
Forward



LEWIS GILLILAN
Forward



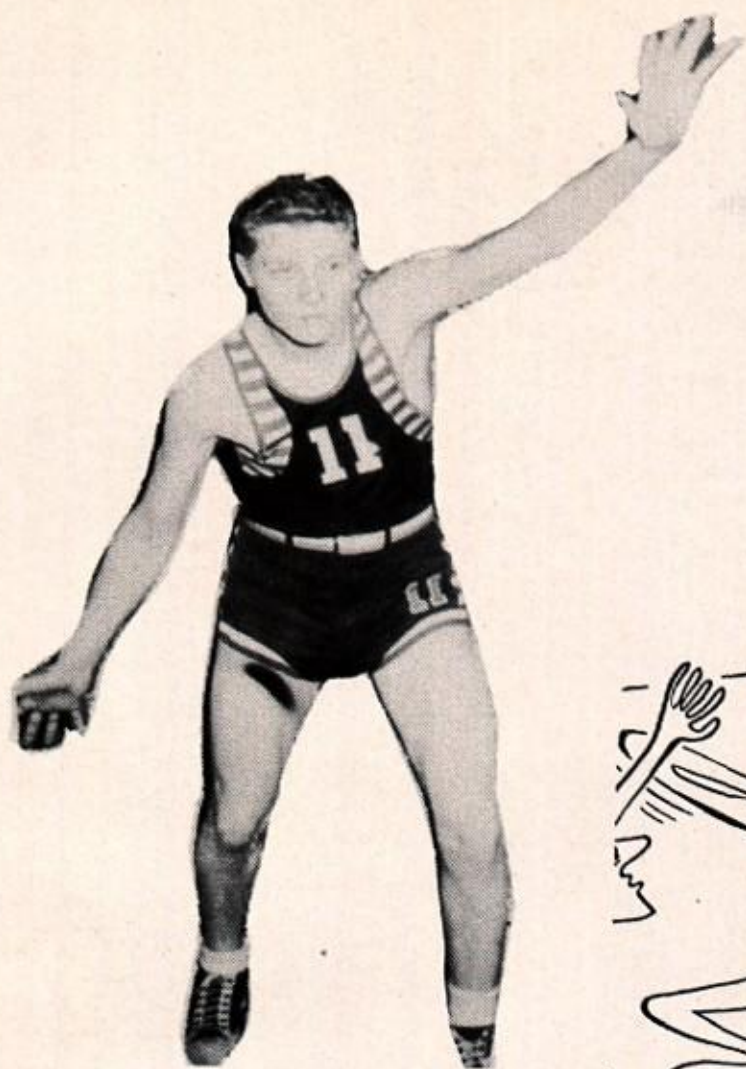
ROGER YARRINGTON
Center



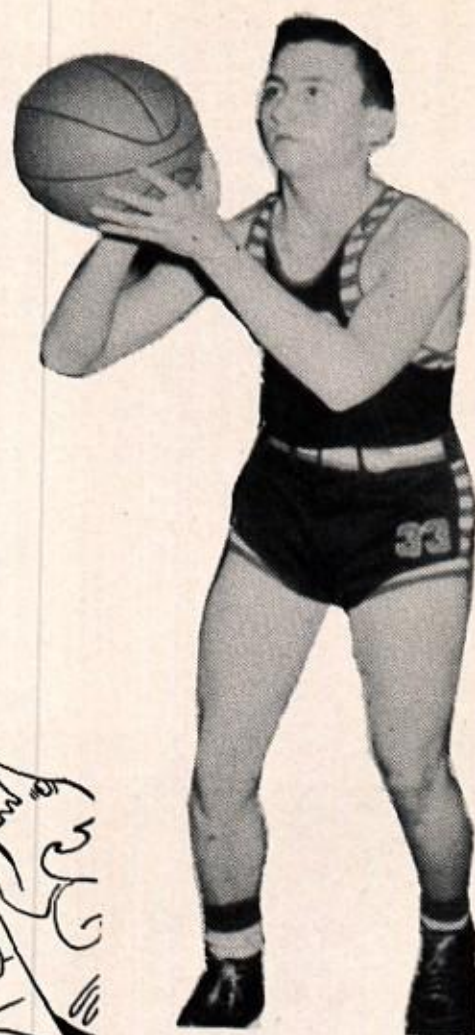
BOB MEEK
Guard



CHARLES WHITE
Guard



JIM TABOR
Guard



DENIO BANKER
Guard



B. TEAM
Banker, Roberts, Bethel, Prall, Rew, Waugh,
France, Ross.



COUNTY CHAMPIONS



Nice form
"Carp"



Tabor sinks one



Takin' it easy



Patty cake

Basketball



F.F.A.

First row: L. Snively, B. Blades, L. Boswell, J. Parker, E. Rivas, P. Kaestner. Second row: C. Bethel, E. Boswell, D. Konaposeck, G. Noftsgger, K. Elliott, J. Martin, J. Ballantyne. Third row: G. Campbell, T. Waller, C. Snethen, B. Boswell, B. Weable, E. Beaty, Dean Bellman.



*Junior
High*

Front Row-Derry, Mitchell, Walden, Shipman, Watt. Second Row-Creighton, Monroe, Amundson, Halsted, Miller, Cresswell. Back Row-Mr. MacDonald, Allen Graves, Cracraft, Bush, Mortimore.

Track



Back row--Cheville, Yarrington, Gilliland, Farnham
Front row--Meek, Walden, Tabor, White, Stoll



Front Row: Konopask, Chet White, Chuck White, Prall, Shipman, L. Banker. Second Row: Ross, Closson, Houck, Baber, Roberts. Back Row: D. Banker, Cheville, Tabor, Swift, Lysinger, Meek, Yarrington, Walden, Farnham, Campbell, Walden, Coach Robinson.



Phyllis Wilcoxson, Dorothy Flowers, Dick Cheville,
Virginia Higgins, Alice Stevens.

CHEERLEADERS



Pauline Clark, Myrna Omstead, Marena Midgordon, Louita Goode

Class Prophecy

Chuck is a second Tyrone;
His looks have brought him far.
But one old thing he's clung to,
The Ford is still his car.

Jim Tabor once drove a Chrysler;
He was quite a thing to see.
But now he's known by his friends
As "The Playboy in the Model T."

After ten long years of hanging
By her toe nails on clothes lines,
Carolyn's now a trapeze artist
And her twirls are mighty fine.

Marjorie Slauter in Home Ec.
Cooked food fit for a louse.
Now she has a restaurant,
The "Margie Slauterhouse."

Bill Dahlem was once
An industrious worker,
But now he's the head
Of the Unemployed Shirkers.

Janet's a girl that
Works as she sings.
She has a job that sells
Used engagement rings.

Bob Meek, a great author,
Has ways that are set.
He just wrote a book called
"The Girl That I Met."

Phyllis Wilcoxson's also
A writer to see.
She wrote a book called
"The man That Met Me."

Kenny, as a youngster,
Sang in the coal bin.
Now he's a singing waiter
In a place called, "Cave Inn."

Roberta Green invented a diet
That made her so terribly thin.
She gets rich at the Iowa State fair,
While we have to pay to get in.

Dotty is a dancer;
They call her "Queenie" Dare.
'Stead of fans she uses bubble gum.
She pops it at the fair.

Lewie G. is very happy,
As he stands beside the stage.
He's the manager of Dotty,
Who's really quite the rage.

Ward dances the hoola,
He's really pretty hot.
It started several years ago
When he was taught by Dot.

Silas is at the fair too;
He's better known as "Nat."
He's in the biggest sideshow
As the man that's very fat.

Jim Ballantyne's a bowling fiend,
Yet still he's quite chagrin.
He never has the time to bowl
Because he sets up pins.

There is a budding pianist;
He's as good as Paderewski.
And all his friends are full of praise
For little Toby Swiftsky.

The girls swoon when they see Charlie
At the Matinee.
He owes it all to Speech Class
For what he is today.

There is a "hot rod" salesman,
His name is Billie B.
They say he sells some brushes,
Keep him away from me!

After decades with a tavern
As his humble resident,
Alcoholics Anonymous has made
Mike Farnham president.

Alberta Thomas has a job
That all her friends admire.
She's the model for Lyle Silver,
The artist for Esquire.

Rogene's a movie actress;
The show's her steady date.
For in the movie filmland,
She now is Tarzan's mate.

Maurice is still the working guy
He always used to be.
He's now the high school janitor
And as happy as can be.

Lela's back to high school,
But not for extra study.
She's now the English teacher;
(Mrs. Oliver's understudy.)

Sarah Margaret was a nurse
That once went on a bender.
Now she's out in Gravel Gulch,
The beer hall's plump bartender.

Arlene Swift works in the slums,
But she is not a shirker.
She's down there 'cause she wants
To be a helpful social worker.

Maxine Trammel's little toeses have
Made her one of Billy's long stemmed
roses.

Roger Y. is quite a scream
As editor of the Eyeful Magazine.

Carla is a writer;
Her column's in the "Post."
She's been married now for sixteen
years,
And to eight kids she's host.

Patsy Cole makes lots of dough,
She's a well known do-nut queen.
Mava Heide makes the holes;
The finest ever seen.

Keith Higgins is still a bachelor;
Now ladies wouldn't you know it.
When he appears the girls all swoon
At the feet of this great poet.

Phyllis Morgan always had plenty of push;
It got her where she is today,
As head scrub-woman at Hacke's,
She still has plenty to say.

Homemaker Jackie Bradley sings
As she cares for her children nine.
Lavonna Gardner, as governess,
Helps to keep them all in line.

Melvin Hickman, a sober lad,
His duties would never skirk.
He's selling toys at Hacke's now;
A most conscientious clerk.

Elaine Boswell's wonderful voice
In opera we did hear.
Now with Pastor John Lysinger,
They travel far and near.

Keith Elliot, the most faithful lover,
Was a man with a courtious way.
After fifteen long years of courting,
He's now getting married, they say.



Will

- I, Milo Farnham, do will my red hair to Bill Whenham, so that he can add two more inches to his pompadour.
- I, Dorothy Flowers, do will my love technique to Janice Hyde, just in case!
- I, Maurice Silver, do will my shortness to Herald Green, so he can come down out of the clouds.
- I, Sarah Williams, do will my giggle to Bill Weable.
- I, Francis Swift, do will my car to anyone who has the money to keep the thing in running condition all the time.
- I, Marjorie Slauter, do will my reserve attitude to Jim Thomas.
- We, Rogene Roberts, Arlene Swift, will our ability to have a different date every night to Freshman girls.
- I, Charles Snethen, do will my innocent looks to Virginia Higgins.
- I, Janet Jans, do will my passion for farmers to Donna Sullivan.
- I, Mava Hiede, do will my fountain pen to my sister Lois, if she's going to take American Literture next year.
- I, Lavona Gardner, do will my sober disposition to Lorene Cook.
- I, Louis Gilliland, do will my Van Johnson features to Darrell Wallace.
- We, Elaine Boswell, Jackie Bradley, and Patsy Cole, do will our technique of getting a man to anyone who wants one.
- I, Phyllis Wilcoxson, do will my love of white model-T's to anyone who likes fresh air.
- I, Lela Keller, do will my ability to hook a man to Miss Stilley.
- I, Keith Higgins, do will my good looks to Earl Beaty.
- I, Bill Boswell, do will my ability to go steady to Don Gamet.
- I, Alberta Thomas, do will my backwardness to Don Houck.
- I, James Tabor, do will my ability to be drug along by the student body to the next student council president.
- I, James Ballantyne, do will my corner seat in study hall to Johnny Ross, so that he can have a clear view.
- I, Keith Elliott, do will the dead cow in my pasture to Coach Robinson, so that he can have a new hat.

- I, Junior Cracraft, do will my ability of evading the girls to Bill Walden because he seems to have troubles.
- I, Ward Kaestner, do will my love of school to Walt McQueen so that his attendance record may be as complete as mine.
- I, Carolyn Ward, do will my meek voice to Darlene Cook, so that she can be as hard to find as I am.
- I, Kenny Walden, do will my industriousness to Howard Paris so maybe he can get some A's too.
- I, Lyle Silver, do will my car to anyone who can keep it on the road. Ha! Ha!
- I, Roger Yarrington, do will my long legs to Ronnie Morey so that he can get around like I do.
- I, Melvin Hickman, do will my driving ability to anyone who wants to risk his life with it.
- I, Phyllis Morgan, do will my cold hands to Harold Green, so they can have a warmer heart.
- I, William Dahlem, do will my manly physique to Billy Thomas, he needs some more muscle.
- I, Carla Jean Hightshoe, do will my congenial nature to Lewis Carpenter so he can agree with the majority.
- I, John Fleet Lysinger, do will my ability in bookkeeping class and my deepest sympathy to next year's class.
- I, Bob Meek, do will anything but Phyllis Wilcoxson to anyone who wants it.
- I, Chuck White, do will my curly locks to Leo Thorpe.

History

Believe it or not, our class started out sweet and innocent (innocent anyway) on September 7, 1936 with Miss McCampbell for our Kindergarten teacher. Those starting their careers in this class were Welba Butler, Nathaniel Cracraft, Don Dirks, Richard Elswick, Fred Ford, Duane Godfrey, Charles White, Charles Gray, Harold Guilliams, Eugene Harp, Elbert Irving, Ward Kaestner, Edmund Kelly, John Lysinger, Bob Meek, John Muceus, Raymond Reed, Maurice Silver, Jene Smith, Kenneth Walden, Roger Yarrington, Jo Ann Dancer, Betty Edmunds, Dorothy Flowers, Delma Godfrey, Winnifred Higdon, Rogene Roberts, Avis Simpson, Donna Rae Sullivan, Arlene Swift and Sarah Williams. It was large enough class to keep three teachers busy.

Chuck White thought his first day quite an occasion, so he wore a loud pair of two-toned brown and white shoes. Anyone who dared to scuff them had a fight on their hands.

The most significant thing about our first year was the fact that we drank penny milk and slept on rugs brought with our own little hands. Roger Yarrington, particular as ever, gave the teacher a bad time because he didn't want to lay on the dirty rugs. She had to resort to calling his mother. Roger kept insisting that at home he didn't have to sleep on the floor.

At the end of the year, Sarah and Maurice were given the pleasure of handing out the diplomas to the graduating seniors.

On to first grade where we were welcomed with a warm heart by Miss Marcella. Our departing fellow mates in crime were Don Dirks, Richard Elswick, John Muceus, Raymond Reed and Avis Simpson. The new members of our tribe were Lewis Gilliland, Earnest Henry, Richard Blake, Hazel Hunsman and Margaret Noftsgar.

There were times when the warmth of our teachers heart set our teeth to chattering. For instance when she rapped us on the knuckles, or de-rooted a few of our wigs.

We got our first touch of studying. The subjects being Phonics, Reading, Spelling, Writing, Art, Numbers and Music.

To prove the point that all of us weren't so sweet, Lewis Gilliland pushed Betty Edmunds in the sewer with her nice white dress on. A disinfected tub of water was the only solution to her mother's problem.

We were all given a try at the flash cards and the ones who could read them effeciently were dismissed early. Boy did we ever get hungry!

We acquired our daily exercise by going on excursions to the Library, Toystore post office and we were particularly amazed with our trip to see the baby chickens.

Being the conservative future citkzens that we were we learned how to make our own dolls out of vegetables. Some of us got hungry and ate them.

John Lysinger and Chuck White must have been seeing too many horror shows, for they pushed Eugene Harp in front of a car.

We all thought Kenny Walden would be a constructor in his old age for he sat around and built with blocks.

Robert Umphress kicked Ward one too many times. He got the ice cream cone he was eating jammed in his face faster than he had planned on eating it.

Come graduation time we all received a juicy kiss and a baloon. We sure did like our balloons. We were all very happy when we learned Miss Marcella had been promoted along with us to second grade.

So, on we progressed. This year, absentees from the roll call were Richard Blake and Avis Simpson. John Muceus and Bonnie Monday joined us.

Jo Ann Dancer was quite the rage to the boys. They spent their spare time playing with her toy soldiers.

Delma Godfrey gave the school something to talk about by splitting her head on the scrapers. Up until that time the females had found great sport in swinging on the scrapers.

We decided that we would make good Indians, so we learned how to hull walnuts, dye tepees, make clay pottery, grind wheat and we ran around with gunny sacks in the place of clothes.

One of the big events of the year was our Easter Egg Roll in front of the high school. The first one at the finish line with an unbroken egg received a prize.

Playing house was still in season for Dorothy Flowers, Edmund Kelly and Winnifred Higdon. Edmund's dog house was a little small, but his mother wouldn't loan them her house.

Edmund used to threaten the teachers that he would have his father fire them if they gave him any back sass.

During these days our interests were widely varied, ranging from playing jacks hopscotch to the exciting game of the big bad wolf.

Third grade came around suddenly and Mrs. Key was our teacher this year. She was the first to introduce us to the fine art of telling time. That must be the reason why some of us have such a tardy record. John couldn't keep track of which hand was for the minutes.

This year our class expanded in size with Dale Ashburn, Rex Wahl, Irvin Lee Warner, Gertude Souders, Richard Blake, Marguerite Utterback and Gearld Hatfield.

Anyone who was caught twiddling their thumbs had to continue it after school as punishment. If anyone laughed at the culprit, they had to do it too.

The school had a hard time keeping supplied with paste because Sarah Williams thought it very appetizing and ate it in her liesure time.

We all liked to sharpen our crayolas in the pencil sharpener but to our dismay found that it wasn't the bright thing to do.

Rogene didn't have time to play with the girls, she was too busy playing ball with the boys. Our class was said to have the biggest per-centage of tom-boys.

We all thought we were killed the day they gave us vaccination shots. Some even thought they had to have slings to put their arms in.

Robert Umphress met the paddle this year. Miss Key was the one who did the introducing in her closet.

It was not an unusual sight on Valentines day to come to school and find that some impartial person had strung Valentines on every desk. We even had a party at which we munched on ice cream and read Valentines from our "puppy love" friends.

Fourth Graders at last, facing life with Mrs. Lester. This was the year we learned how to breath and write correctly with Miss Schnyder as our penmanship teacher. She also gave us our first unwelcomed lessons in vocalizing. Seldom did a day pass but what she had Kenneth and Dorothy sing a duet. After a sufficient amount of cotton was passed out, that is.

The fact that we had a new grade school this year shouldn't be overlooked. In our spare time, the thoughts in our little heads must have been completely devoted to how we could mar the shiny new building.

When Xmas rolled around, we all made hot pads for our mothers. We couldn't have been prouder when Miss Lester lined them along the blackboard and showed her admiration for them.

We went to Grandma McElroy's on Valentines day where we gave a play for her. She told us about Lincoln and gave us a dollar for treats. This made her our best friend. We gave her a potted plant.

The town kids were all envious the year we had hot lunches which were passed out for a dime. Gerald Hatfield and John Muceus would go back for thirds.

This was the year that Dorothy had a crush on Chuck, but being the bashful one that he was, he wouldn't kiss her when the camera fiends took over for a picture behind the schoolhouse.

Jerry Ivy, Lyle Silver, Francis Swift and Carroll Dennis joined us and Dale Ashburn, Irvin Lee Warner, Marguerite Utterback, Rex Wahl and Gerald Hatfield left at the end of the year.

Poor Lyle Silver tried so hard to make friends with Bob Meek this year but Bob just stared at him and made himself obnoxious.

We went through our next year with two consecutive teachers; Mrs. Ralston, and Miss. Sundquist.

Dalton Cothorn joined us this year and from then on we were known as the "little fifth grade terrors".

We were big shots and earned the rank of a patrolman. With our white safety patrol belts on, we led the little sprouts safely across the infested districts.

Chuck and John were chasing the sixth grade girls all over the building, so, as a safe resort they escaped into the "little girls room". But no such luck of eluding them here. The boys were right on their heels. For the next week Chuck and John could be seen staying in after school hours as a penalty.

Edmund Kelly and Kenneth Walden fell in love with June Kabelius, our student teacher, and couldn't keep their minds on school work.

We were all very sad the day Moon's mill burned because we had to leave our studies and watch it burn. Never before had we experienced such a bon-fire.

Our soccer games with the sixth grade were really rough. You were a friek if you emerged from the game with your shins in less than one piece.

Those were the good old days when we were allowed to file out in the middle of class and get a drink. Carroll Dennis shocked everyone by kissing Dorothy while she was at the fountain. The mistletoe above the door of course made it all fair and legal.

Bob Meek caused quite a stir by breaking his leg but being the thoughtful ones that we were, the class each wrote a letter just so the mailman could earn his living.

Our newcomers were, Roberta Green and Jim Harp. We lost Jerry Ivy.

We were big shots in sixth grade for it was good fortune to be the oldest class in the new school building and we enjoyed this position immensely.

Leota Harris, John Muceus, Marvin Sedam, Alberta Thomas, Leo Thorpe, Basil Payne and Jim Mullins joined us and we lost Jim Harp.

Every morning we sang the star spangled banner and gave the pledge of allegiance to the flag. Not ones to let our country down, we took a day from school and went on a scrap drive. We were natural born workers and didn't let a little sweating bother us. We were going to carry off a farmer's tractor but decided it was too heavy. Roger, Kenneth, John and some of the other boys got sidetracked on their bicycles and shot out windows in a deserted farm.

Miss Young put us through endurance tests by having us put our feet on one chair, our heads on another and see how long we could hold the position.

We had a tournament in which the winner of the girls challenged the winner of the boys in a rooster fight. The boys were very humiliated when Francis Swift was pushed out of the circle by his female competitor making the girls the champions.

Junior High days began with a bang. Phyllis Morgan, Phyllis Mc. and Helen French came and we lost Edmund Kelly and Jim Mullins.

Phyllis and Dorothy ate garlic and didn't want to be the only partners in crime so they practically forced Rogene to eat some. Consequently they were all class outcasts.

Our home room teacher for eighth grade was Miss Mortimore. She ruined at least five sticks on the desk trying to make us shut up. We only laughed and handed her a new stick. We gained Carole Adams.

Bill Bryant was the rage of all the girls. They suddenly decided that red hair was their favorite color.

Mr. Lawrence took over our Civics class and tried to teach us what any young citizen should know.

Mrs. Spaulding used to lecture the girls on how it was their duty to the country to wear long stockings and raise large families.

Every night after school, you would see Phyllis and Dorothy running up town with the boys close behind peppering them with snowballs until they had succeeded in cornering them in the bakery.

Carole Adams had a small fight with one of the teachers and was therefore allowed to finish school in the nurses room.

As a penalty for being kicked out of class, Roger, Melvin, Toby and Short had to exchange swats while the principal stood close by to see that they weren't too dainty.

Only four more years to go! We were getting a taste of high school life with more than one teacher.

Mrs. Alexander used to give us a very stern look and accuse us of acting like "warts on a pickle." Actually though, we enjoyed her classes because she allowed us to eat all we wanted provided we bring enough for the entire class and the teacher. Some jokers brought dill pickles.

Some of the couples this year were Phyllis W., John Cracraft, Jean Amsberry, John Muceus, Phyllis M., and Roger Y.

After struggling through ninth grade we all came up to the study hall to begin our first session of high school.

The first day we walked into History class Mr. Neubar calmly looked at us, said No. 1 and proceeded to test us on things we had never heard of. Some of us liked it so well we almost took it twice.

He wasn't nearly so calm though the day Alberta put a tack under him. At least he got the point.

And then there was the day someone kicked in the wall and Mr. Herring flatly stated that there wouldn't be any ball game that evening until the guilty culprits confessed.

Carole and Dorothy became professional scrub women the day they were undoing the beautiful art work they had so meticulously put on the side of the building in white wash.

We are actually near our goal as we are back in school as Juniors. After struggling through ten long years we thought we could survive two more.

Miss Yeater directed the class play this year which was "We Shook the Family Tree". Half the time we practiced and the rest of the time was spent in playing basketball and tick tack toe. Hap Sprague worked harder back stage than he did on.

The steadies that could be seen dotting the lawn were Chuck, Jo Ann, Jim Hill, Phyllis Morgan, Dorothy and Ward.

We were very busy with the Junior and Senior banquet which we considered the best in years. The "Gay Nineties" theme was emphasized with waiters with bow ties and waitresses with Gibson Girl blouses.

At last our dream come true. We were Seniors with Chuck White as President of our class.

Diamond rings were the fad this year. Janet Jans, Jacqueline Bradley, Patsy Cole, and Carla H. each had one. Lela Vandell jumped the gun on everybody and got married.

Many of us struggled through bookkeeping and typing. Others of us just struggled.

We were really excited the night we walked off with a big Basketball trophy. It now sits on our trophy case where we sit around and drool over it.

Mrs. Twito, Phyllis Mogan, Roger Yarrington and the rest of the staff put in many hours of labor on the annual which we think is pretty swell.

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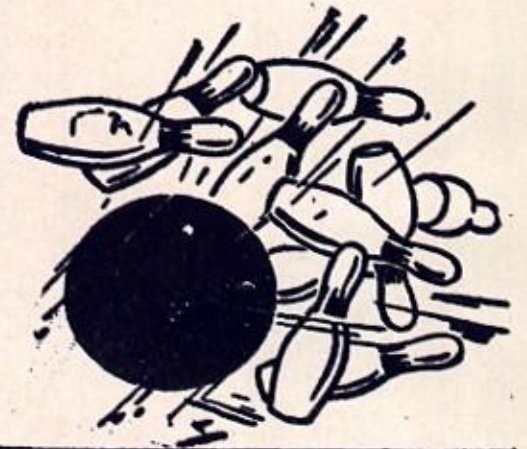
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